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INFO AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: TECH

SUBJECT: PURPORTED SALE OFFER OF U-235

REF: STATE 197501

1. AM EMBASSY OFFICER INFORMED EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MINISTRY COORDINATION DIVISION DIRECTOR HASHMI ON OCTOBER 10 THAT THE US EMBASSY AT KATHMANDU WAS RECENTLY APPROACHED BY A NEPALESE, GIVING HIS NAME AS J.C. THAKUR, WHO SAID HE COULD OBTAIN U-235 FROM FACILITIES IN THE BOMBAY AREA FOR SALE TO THE US GOVERNMENT. WE WERE TRYING TO GET A SAMPLE FOR ANALYSIS AND WOULD INFORM THE GOI OF THE RESULTS. THE EMBASSY OFFICER SAID OUR CONSULATE AT BOMBAY WOULD ALSO INFORM THE DAE; IN VIEW OF SENSITIVITY OF THIS INFORMATION, WE WERE PROVIDING IT IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.

2. HASHMI EXPRESSED GREAT APPRECIATION FOR OUR LETTING THE GOI KNOW ABOUT THIS MATTER AND SAID THE INFORMATION WOULD BE KEPT IN CONFIDENCE.
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